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**REQUEST
FOR
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
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Application No.	10/687,324
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Group Art Unit	1762
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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR §1.114 of the above-identified application. Note: 37 CFR §1.114 is effective on May 29, 2000. If the above-identified application was filed prior to May 29, 2000, applicant may wish to consider filing a continued prosecution application (CPA) under 37 CFR §1.53(d) instead of a RCE to be eligible for the patent term adjustment provisions of the AIPA.

1. Submission required under 37 CFR §1.114

a. Previously submitted

- i. Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR §1.116 previously filed on _____ (any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered)
- ii. Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____
- iii. Other: _____

b. Enclosed

- i. Amendment/Reply
- ii. Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- iv. Other : IDS Fee Sheet; PTO/SB/08A

2. Miscellaneous

- a. Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR §1.103(c) for a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; fee under 37 CFR §1.17(i) required)
- b. Other: _____

3. Fees (The RCE fee under 37 CFR §1.17(e) is required by 37 CFR §1.114 when the RCE is filed.)

- a. The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 04-1512.
 - i. RCE fee of \$790 required under 37 CFR §1.17 12/19/2006 BABRAHA1 00000070 041512 10687324
 - ii. Extension of time fee (37 CFR §§ 1.136 and 1.17) 01 FC:1801 790.00 DA
 - iii. Other _____
- b. Check in the amount of \$ _____ enclosed
- c. Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038 enclosed)

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